

WACO, TEXAS, MONDAY, APRIL 12, 1915.

## DIG GENERAL EFFORT IN WEST EXPECTED TO FOLLOW ATTACKS

PRESENT MOVEMENT IN THE  
WOEVEE DISTRICT, BUT PRE-  
LUDE TO GREATER THINGS, AC-  
CORDING TO OPINION OF EX-  
PERTS—CLAIM REPULSES.

## RUSSIANS MAKING PROGRESS

Capture of Important Points Keeps  
Pace With French—Interest in Sit-  
uation in Carpathians Continues.  
Fighting Has Been Under Extreme  
Difficulties.

London, April 11, 10:46 p. m.—The  
French offensive in the Woevee, which,  
according to official reports from  
Paris, continues to make progress, al-  
though the Germans reiterate that all  
the French attacks have been repulsed.  
It is believed, is only the prelude to  
a big general effort in the west.

With the two general staffs in direct  
contact, it is difficult to gauge the  
results of the fighting. Military  
experts here, however, express the  
conviction that the Germans will be  
compelled to send reinforcements to  
strengthen their wedge, which pene-  
trates to St. Mihiel, and which is being  
attacked on both flanks and that  
as soon as this movement begins the  
allies will strike at the point thus  
weakened and perhaps at the whole  
line.

With the operations in this district  
of France those in the Carpathians  
divide interest, which is being barely  
satisfied with the meagre official re-  
ports from the various headquarters.

The Russians, like the French, ap-  
parently are making progress in the  
capture of important points which are  
essential before a general forward  
movement can be undertaken. They  
are in possession of the whole prin-  
cipal chain of the Carpathians and at  
some points are descending the south-  
ern slopes and are approaching, if  
they are not already in the Uzkol  
valley south of the pasturage name.

Conditions Are Difficult.

Fighting is going on under extremely  
difficult conditions on the ground be-  
cause of the snow, which is com-  
mencing to soften, while the Austro-  
Germans continue to bring up rein-  
forcements in an endeavor to check  
an advance. The Russians, however,  
appear to have confidence in their  
ability to handle the task for simul-  
taneously they are showing consid-  
erable activity both on the East Prus-  
sian frontier, where they claim suc-  
cess over the Germans, to the south  
of the Vistula, where the Germans say  
they have repulsed a Russian attack.

The allied fleet has, according to  
unofficial reports, been ordered to  
the Dardanelles forts from the Gulf  
of Saros. This doubtless is being  
done to prevent the Turks from re-  
pairing the forts, for it is not believed  
here that the big attack will be re-  
sumed until the land forces arrive.

Unofficial reports also continue to  
come in regarding the gun firing off  
the Norwegian coast on Wednesday  
last.

The Scandinavian papers are con-  
fident that a sea battle has occurred,  
although they variously describe it as  
a battle between British and German  
cruisers and a chase by British or  
German submarines.

## Germans Deliver Attack.

Paris, April 11, via London 11:45  
p. m.—The following official com-  
munication was issued by the French  
war office tonight:

"North of Albert the Germans Sat-  
urday night delivered an attack on  
the two banks of the Ancre river against  
our trenches at Hamel and near  
Thiepval wood. They were repulsed  
after hand-to-hand fighting.

"In the Argonne the fighting de-  
veloped into a very sharp struggle, last-  
ing all night, and we demolished a  
block house and captured about 300  
yards of trench. We maintained our  
gain, notwithstanding two German  
counter attacks.

"Between the Meuse and the Moselle  
no infantry action has been reported  
in the region of Les Eparges and Com-  
bres since our success of April 9.

"In the Ailly wood an attack deliv-  
ered on the evening of the 10th made  
us masters of a new line of trenches.  
At the Montmor wood the Germans  
succeeded during the night in captur-  
ing the trenches which they had lost  
in the course of the day. The position  
which we won on the 8th remains  
in our possession.

"In the forest of Le Pretre two vio-  
lent counter attacks by the enemy  
melted away under our infantry and  
artillery fire.

"Our aeroplanes have dropped  
bombs on the maritime station and  
foundry at Brouges."

## German Official Statement.

Berlin, April 11, via London 3:49  
p. m.—The official statement given  
out today by the German headquar-  
ters reads as follows:

"In the western theatre:

"On the Yser canal near Poeselle,  
south of Drel Grachten we took three  
villages occupied by the Belgians and  
made one officer and forty men pris-  
oners.

"French attacks in the western Ar-  
gonne failed.

"Fighting between the Meuse and  
the Moselle increased in intensity in  
the afternoon. In the forest region to  
the north of the Combres heights the

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## SING SING, FAMOUS PRISON, SOON WILL BE ABANDONED



SING SING PRISON

Albany, N. Y., April 11.—With the  
passage of a bill, fostered by Governor  
Whitman, appropriating \$300,000 for  
the beginning of a new prison, the  
long fight for the abandonment of  
Sing Sing was won. Sing Sing is one  
of the most famous prisons in the  
country. In the death house there  
now are many awaiting the electric  
chair, among them former Police  
Lieutenant Charles A. Becker, who  
was convicted of the murder of the  
Gambler Herman Rosenthal. Warden  
Osborne proposes to introduce many  
of his reform ideas in the manage-  
ment of the new institution. He is in  
favor of what is known as the cot-  
tage system. He thinks the convicts should be employed as much of the time  
as possible outdoors and is in favor of modern industrial shops to keep the in-  
mates busy in the months when agriculture is not practicable. He is opposed  
by Commissioner Riley, whose methods of prison reform are not so radical  
as those of Mr. Osborne.

## Explosion Destroys Packing Building In Kansas City

Kansas City, April 11.—An explosion,  
believed by the police to have been  
caused by a bomb, wrecked the seven-  
story cooling building of the Cudahy  
Packing company's plant here to-  
night, causing a loss estimated at  
\$750,000. Two men working in the  
building at the time were injured.

Investigation, however, developed no  
evidence of an explosive of any sort.  
Company officials asserted there was  
no gas in the building and that the  
cooling plants contained no ammonia  
or other material that might explode.  
More than 200 men are employed in  
the building on week days, but today  
only Patrick Lyons, a fireman, and  
Oliver Bennett, a temperature man,  
were at work. Both were burned when  
they were walking on one of the low-  
er floors of the building, carrying lan-  
terns, when the explosion occurred.  
They said they were unable to locate  
it definitely.

The building, valued at about \$100-  
000, is a total loss. Company officials  
estimated the value of the contents,  
consisting of fresh meats, all of which  
was rendered unfit for use, at \$550-  
000.

It was asserted the wrecking of the  
cooling building will hinder greatly the  
operation of the plant, but officials  
of the company were unable to say  
tonight how serious the interruption  
would be.

March 18, last, fire in the canning  
room of the company's plant did dam-  
age estimated at about \$5,000. Later  
age had been pried open with a crow  
bar. In January previous another fire  
destroyed a part of the plant. The  
company employs 500 foreigners, rep-  
resenting all of the warring nations  
of Europe. According to numerous  
recent reports in the packing house  
district the Cudahy company has been  
filling large war orders. Company  
officials tonight, however, denied this.

## Two Students Are Shot to Death in Newark Street Fight

Newark, N. J., April 11.—Two strikers  
were shot to death and two men  
believed to be strikebreakers, and a by-  
stander were wounded dangerously here  
today in a street fight in the foreign  
section. The shooting occurred in the  
evening, followed an attempt by strikers  
to intercept a party of alleged strike-  
breakers who were on their way to the  
factory of A. J. Hollander & Sons,  
where a strike is in progress.

As a result of the story told by Louis  
Foulditch, the bystander who was  
wounded, the police arrested William  
F. Abrams, a relative of one of the wounded  
men.

Foulditch claimed that Abrams shot  
him. However, surgeons found Foulditch  
injuries and those of Nicholas  
Patzagos, apparently were made by um-  
brella thrusts.

## Propose Monopoly in Beer; Solve Problem of Drink in England

London, April 12, 3:45 a. m.—The  
Daily Express says it learns that the  
solution of the drink problem which  
the government is now favoring is a  
state monopoly on beer in Great Britain  
and Ireland will be purchased out-  
right.

More than twenty-four hours. At 7  
o'clock this morning he was found hid-  
ing in the underbrush and taken into  
custody by Sheriff Miller.

Before his escape from the room-  
ing house, Bader sent a note to the  
officers that he would surrender at  
noon today if given until that time.  
Bader is alleged to have shot Con-  
stable Connell as the latter sought to  
arrest him on a forgery charge.

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## Cotton Spinners to Consider Situation Regarding Dyestuffs

Memphis, Tenn., April 11.—Delegates  
from all the cotton spinning centers  
in the United States are expected to  
attend the nineteenth annual conven-  
tion of the American Cotton Manu-  
facturing association, which will be  
in session here April 13-14. Matters  
to be considered include the present  
dye stuff situation, the so-called Duke  
waiver plan and a general discus-  
sion of business efficiency in connec-  
tion with the management of cotton  
mills.

The opening session Thursday  
morning will be devoted principally to  
the address of the president, T. I.  
Hickman of Augusta, Ga., the reading  
of committee reports and an address  
by Frank Naismith of Manchester,  
England. Officers will be elected  
Wednesday.

## Woman Sixty Years Old Found Guilty Murder and Robbery

Detroit, Mich., April 11.—Mrs. Caro-  
lina E. Becker, 60 years old, today  
was found guilty of murder in the  
first degree for having caused the  
death of Miss Frances Bomholt last  
December. Evidence given at the tri-  
al showed that Miss Bomholt was beaten  
to death with a piece of coal and that  
robbery was the motive for the crime.  
The case was given to the jury Sat-  
urday afternoon.

Miss Bomholt was about the same  
age as Mrs. Becker. The women were  
neighbors and Mrs. Becker had been  
on the most friendly terms with  
her. Shortly after her arrest Mrs.  
Becker made a confession, according  
to the police, giving the details of the  
murder. She said she needed money  
to make a payment on her house. She  
first attacked Miss Bomholt in the  
bedroom and beat her on the head un-  
til she was unconscious. She obtained  
\$15. The alleged confession was not  
admitted as evidence.

## Abdul Hamid Being Cherished in Case of Turkish Overthrow

London, April 12, 2:05 a. m.—Abdul  
Hamid, sultan of Turkey, is being  
now in Smyrna in the house of a for-  
mer leading British inhabitant of that  
city, which is now occupied by the  
military commandant of Smyrna, says  
the Daily Telegraph's Athens corre-  
spondent.

"Abdul Hamid is being cherished  
with sedulous care," the correspond-  
ent adds, "so that he can be used in  
case of a revolution in Constantinople.  
At present the situation in Constanti-  
nople is excellent and the secret po-  
lice have the situation well in hand.

"The young Turks a few days ago  
agreed to ask the allies their views  
to ascertain from the allies their re-  
fected it, and nothing came of the ef-  
fort. The Young Turks attempted to  
agree upon a program to be put in  
force in case the allies capture the  
Dardanelles, but after a discussion it  
was decided to await advice from  
Berlin."

## Von Der Goltz After 300,000 Troops to Crush the Serbians

London, April 12, 2:47 a. m.—The  
mission of the German field marshal,  
Von Der Goltz, and Halil Bey, presi-  
dent of the Turkish chamber of depu-  
ties, to Berlin, says the Times Sofia  
correspondent.

The mission of the Young Turks a  
German army of 300,000 for the pur-  
pose of crushing Serbia and intimi-  
dation Bulgaria, in order to open the  
road for the despatch of munitions of  
war to Constantinople. In case of  
refusal, according to the correspond-  
ent, the Young Turks have threatened  
to negotiate a separate peace with the  
entente powers.

## CITY POLICE SLATE HAS BEEN MADE UP SAY STREET RUMORS

OTHER APPOINTMENT OFFICERS  
AGREED UPON BY MAJORITY  
OF COMMISSION, ACCORDING  
TO SAME INFORMATION, BUT  
DOLLINS WASN'T CONSULTED.

## IS ALMOST A CLEAN SWEEP

George Gurley for Engineer, Dr. M.  
B. Baker, Physician, Joe Carlisle,  
Fire Marshal, Look Likely, While  
Many Old Members to Make Way  
for New Blood.

Guy McNamara, chief of police.  
C. P. James, assistant chief of police.  
R. H. Hall, chief of detectives.  
Joe Carlisle, fire marshal.  
George Gurley, city engineer.  
Dr. M. B. Baker, city physician.  
Dan Ford, street foreman.  
W. V. Parrish, sanitary officer.

This is the slate which Dame Rumor  
says has been agreed upon by a  
majority of the members of the city  
commission for the chief appointive  
officers that will be at the disposal  
of that body after the three new com-  
missioners take office next Wednes-  
day morning. Madame Rumor some-  
times gets her wires crossed, but she  
insists that she has a mighty straight  
tip on the above list of those who have  
net with the favorable consideration  
of all the members of the commis-  
sion except Commissioner Dollins, who,  
she says, has not been advised within  
the matter at all. There may pos-  
sibly be some changes before the ap-  
pointments are announced at the city  
hall next Thursday night, she says,  
but this is the slate as it was agreed  
upon at a caucus last Saturday night.

Less than half of the present mem-  
bership of the police force will be re-  
tained, declare the same rumors, which  
bear the appearance of authenticity.  
Here are the members of the present  
police force whose services are  
due to be dispensed with in case the  
present slate goes through, declare the  
rumors, which embrace Dr. J. J. Good-  
source, John Taylor, Bob Buchanan,  
Joe Moore, George Rotan, George Weath-  
ers, E. Ullman, Eugene Donovan, Sam  
Sheppard, Roy German and M. Scott.

Among the members of the present  
force who will be retained, according  
to the same information, are the fol-  
lowing: H. S. Head, H. J. Bitts,  
Tom Gross, Joe Rutland, George Mal-  
lard, J. R. Spiller, Charles Carlton,  
Mike Tonahill and Nimrod Sheppard,  
though the information was that the  
retention of the last two had not been  
finally agreed upon.

New men who are slated for police  
appointments, the information comes,  
include Alva Hatch, A. Craven and A.  
B. Brandon, plain clothes men, and  
the following patrolmen: Frank Ten-  
nison, R. Olmes, Houston Jones, Bay-  
less Clay, T. E. Johnson, P. E. Dav-  
is, C. D. Moore, Mr. Parrott, John  
Garrison, Ed Lloyd, Alva Tilley, Geo.  
Jackson and Jesse Falkner.

## Clean Sweep in Engineer's Office.

A clean sweep is contemplated in the  
city engineer's office, says the infor-  
mation that has gained credence on the  
streets, and there is some rumor that  
the office of city fire marshal may be  
abolished. If it is not abolished, it  
is taken for granted that Joe Car-  
lisle, the present incumbent, is  
rumored, however, that the salary  
of the fire marshal will be reduced  
from \$115 to \$100 per month and that

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## THE WEATHER

I TRIED TO READ A  
DESCRIPTION OF THE  
FIGHTING IN POLAND  
OUT LOUD AND  
DISLOCATED MY TRAP

Washington, April 11.—Major General  
William C. Gorgas, a surgeon general  
in the United States army, was invited  
to become a permanent member of its staff  
in the capacity of general adviser in mat-  
ters relating to public sanitation and  
the control of epidemics.

General Gorgas is wanted by the foun-  
dation particularly at this time to direct  
the campaign against the typhus scourge  
which is devastating Serbia. Whether  
he actually will go to Serbia probably  
will depend upon the general himself if  
he accepts the offer.

The offer was made tonight by Jerome  
D. Greene, secretary of the Rockefeller  
Foundation.

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under consideration. It is understood he  
expects to consult Secretary of War  
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before reaching a decision.

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tion and at various points there was hand  
to hand fighting. But, according to  
the French official statement, the Germans  
were repulsed.

## Government Forecast.

Washington, April 11.—Govern-  
ment forecast:  
Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana  
and East Texas: Generally fair  
Monday and Tuesday.

West Texas: Fair Monday and  
Tuesday.

## Voluntary Forecast.

Fair today, with no decided  
change in temperature. The pre-  
diction of L. I. Block, F. R. M. S.,  
diction of the Rockefeller Foundation includes  
of a moderate salary and the assurance  
of the usual allowances in the event of  
resignation or death.

General Gorgas is a native of Mobile,  
Ala. He is 61 years old and has had 35  
years of active service in the United  
States army.

## No Time to Talk Peace Now, Says Mrs. Pankhurst



EMMELINE PANKHURST

London, April 11.—Mrs. Emmeline  
Pankhurst announced that the Wom-  
en's Social and Political union and the  
other suffrage organizations in Great  
Britain and France had decided  
not to participate in the women's con-  
ference at The Hague to consider the  
question of peace. In this connection  
the British militant leader said:  
"This movement is well meaning, but  
mistaken. Those running this com-  
mittee have no political influence.  
Pro-Germans are working hard in  
this direction here and in neutral  
countries, and more German money  
has been circulated in America, but  
this is not the time to talk peace."

## Carranza Gunboat Will Seize French Steamer With Gold

On Board U. S. S. Colorado, Mazatlan,  
Mex., April 10.—By Radio to San  
Diego, Cal., April 11.—Tired of wait-  
ing for instructions from Vera Cruz,  
the commander of the Carranza gun-  
boat Guerrero, at Santa Rosalia is  
reported to have announced today  
that he intended to seize immediately  
the steamer Korrigan III, owned by  
a French concern, and then proceed  
to Mazatlan.

The Korrigan III is said to have  
aboard gold bullion and concentrates  
consigned to Carranza but which the  
commander of the vessel has refused  
to turn over to the military authori-  
ties at Santa Rosalia. The matter  
was referred to Vera Cruz authori-  
ties several days ago.

Unconfirmed reports have reached  
Mazatlan of the capture of Acaponeta  
by Carranza troops under  
General Turbe.

Tt Zapatlan a fight is reported to  
have occurred Thursday.

## Demonstrations in Favor of Italy's Intervention in War

London, April 12, 12:50 a. m.—Great  
demonstrations in Italy in favor of  
intervention in the war led to serious  
disorders yesterday at Rome and  
collisions with the police, according to  
a Rome dispatch to the Exchange Tel-  
egram office. Rikorous measures  
were taken to suppress the manifes-  
tations, and many persons were ar-  
rested, including Signor Marinetti, the  
futurist leader, and Prof. Benito Mus-  
solini, editor of the Milanese Politia  
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villages on the Yser canal and the failure  
of French attacks in the Argonne.  
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ction of a German trench in that region.  
The French admit the loss of some  
trenches, previously captured from the  
Germans in the Montmar wood.

Details of the latest operations in the  
Carpathians are lacking. The Russian  
official reports being largely confined to

## WILHELM COMES INTO U. S. PORT WITH THRILLING STORY

## Vessels Sunk By the Kron Prinz Wilhelm

Destination and cargo of ves-  
sels sunk by the German auxiliary  
cruiser Kron Prinz Wilhelm.  
British steamer Indian Prince,  
Captain Gray, from Bahia for New  
York, with coffee and cocoa. Five  
passengers, 32 officers and crew.  
Sunk September 4, 1914.

British steamer La Corrientina,  
Captain —, from La Platte for  
London, with five million six hun-  
dred thousand pounds meat; 26  
passengers, 35 officers and crew.  
Sunk October 7, 1914.

French bark Union, Captain Gre-  
gorie, from Port Talbot for Val-  
paraiso, with 3,100 tons coal; 24  
officers and crew. Sunk October  
28, 1914.

French bark Anne de Bretagne,  
Captain Pickard, from Frederick-  
stad for Sidney and New Castle,  
with cargo wood; 24 officers and  
crew. Sunk November 21, 1914.

British steamer Bellevue, Cap-  
tain Robertson, from Liverpool for  
South America, with 4,000 tons of  
coal; 24 officers and crew. Sunk  
December 4, 1914.

British steamer Hemisphere,  
Captain —, from Hull for Ro-  
sario, with five thousand tons of  
coal; 26 officers and crew. Sunk  
December 28, 1914.

British steamer Potaro, Captain  
—, Liverpool for South Amer-  
ica, in ballast; 47 officers and crew.  
Sunk January 10, 1915.

British steamer Highland Brae,  
Captain —, London for Buenos  
Aires, with meat and shoes; 50  
passengers, 91 officers and crew.  
Sunk January 14, 1915.

British schooner Wilfred M.,  
Captain Parks, from St. Johns for  
Bahia, with fish and potatoes; 7  
officers and crew. Sunk January  
14, 1915.

Norwegian bark Somantha, Cap-  
tain Jalversen, from Linton for  
Falmouth, with cargo wheat; 23 of-  
ficers and crew. Sunk February  
5, 1915.

French passenger steamer Gua-  
deloupe, Captain Jasseau, from  
Buenos Aires for Bordeaux, with  
general cargo; 143 passengers and  
150 crew. Sunk February 23,  
1915.

British steamer Tamar, Captain  
—, from Santos for Havre, with  
68,000 sacks coffee; 33 officers and  
crew. Sunk March 25, 1915.

British steamer Coleby, Captain  
Crichton, from Rosario for St.  
Vincent, with cargo wheat; 28 of-  
ficers and crew. Sunk March 27,  
1915.

The British steamer Chase Hill,  
from Genoa for Pernambuco, was  
stopped February 22, 1915, and af-  
ter part of her provisions had been  
requisitioned by the cruiser she  
was allowed to proceed with 300  
passengers transferred from the  
Kron Prinz.

Most of those were sent to South  
American ports at different times on  
German ships which met the raider  
in response to wireless calls. The  
Bismarck, however, who will be  
landed here tomorrow are British sail-  
ors taken from steamships Tamar, de-  
stroyed March 25, and the Coleby, de-  
stroyed March 27 last.

Brings Thrilling Story.

The second of the raiders brought  
as thrilling a story as did her pre-  
decessor, the Eitel Friedrich. Her re-  
cessor, the Eitel Friedrich, after re-  
cessor, the Eitel Friedrich, was ac-  
companied with only four guns, two  
taken from the German cruiser Kar-  
lsruhe and two captured later from the  
British merchant ship La Corrientina  
on October 7, 1914.

The most connected story of the long  
voyage from New York, 255 days in  
all, was told tonight by Lieut. Leut.  
Alb. Warneke, the ship's officer, who  
left New York harbor with the ship  
last November 10.

"We left New York August 3 and  
put out into the great big ocean," said  
Lieut. Warneke. "We were not off  
warship then, but the German raider  
cruiser Karlsruhe. We took from her  
two 3-inch guns, which we mounted  
on the bow of the ship, and took Lieut.  
Captain Thierfelder, her navigating  
officer."

"We took seventeen of the Karlsruhe's  
junior officers and men, took on more  
coal and provisions and put to sea.  
It is understood that the raider  
was made for the Indian Ocean, where  
we sank September 4, 1914. From that  
time on we remained on the big ocean,  
destroying the enemy where we  
might find her."

British Premier Kind.

"I want to say that Sir Edward  
Grey, the British premier, has been

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## SUMMARY OF WAR

The efforts of the French to advance in  
the Woevee district are meeting not only  
with characteristic resistance, but the  
Germans are delivering fierce counter  
attacks at various points, not only in  
that territory but to the north in the  
neighborhood of Albert, around which  
many engagements have been fought  
during the course of the war.

The important strategic position of Les  
Eparges, which dominates the plains of  
the Woevee has been free from fighting  
since the French occupation of two days  
ago, but as the Germans are reported to  
have set great store by this position, it is  
more than likely that the lull presages  
a reinforcement of the troops, who were  
compelled to withdraw after the last  
French attacks, and offensive operations  
for the recapture of that point.

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and resulted from an attempt by the  
Germans to take the French trenches at  
Samlan and in the Thiepval wood. The  
attack was carried out with determina-  
tion and at various points there was hand  
to hand fighting. But, according to  
the French official statement, the Germans  
were repulsed.

Berlin reports the capture of three  
villages on the Yser canal and the failure  
of French attacks in the Argonne.  
The French claim to have captured a se-  
ction of a German trench in that region.  
The French admit the loss of some  
trenches, previously captured from the  
Germans in the Montmar wood.

Details of the latest operations in the  
Carpathians are lacking. The Russian  
official reports being largely confined to

the defeat two days ago of the Austrians,  
in which the Russians captured a bat-  
talion and the occupation of several  
heights near Uzkol Pass, in which they  
captured more than a thousand men.



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## Many Nurses and Doctors Contract Typhus in Serbia

New York, April 11.—Of the contingent of six doctors and twelve nurses sent to Serbia by the American Red Cross society since the European war began, all but four have contracted typhus, the disease they are combating, according to Dr. M. P. Lane of New Orleans, a Red Cross doctor, who arrived here today on the steamship Finland from Mediterranean ports.

Dr. Lane was ordered home by Dr. Ernest P. Magruder, head of the Serbian contingent, who has since died, to recuperate after being confined in the city hospital, victim of the scourge.

"It is impossible to convey in words the condition of Serbia," Dr. Lane said. "When we arrived we found the country in the grip of an epidemic of recurrent fever with a high percentage of fatalities. Following the recurrent fever, came the scourge of typhus by way of Serbia evidently by Austrian prisoners.

"Deaths were so numerous that it was hard to find means to dispose of the bodies, cremation being the only solution of the problem. On one day during the second week in February there were 450 deaths reported from typhus in the city of Nish alone. Over the entire country it is safe to say that not less than two

out of every hundred people, including Serbians and prisoners of war, have died and the death rate is rapidly increasing."

The Rev. N. D. McManahan of Omaha, Neb., a missionary of the United Presbyterian church, located at Cairo, Egypt, also a passenger on the Finland, said missionaries and foreigners in Egypt felt no alarm whatever over war conditions. The government had matters under full control, he said, and every protection was being accorded.

Commander Edward McCauley, United States navy, naval attaché to the American embassy at Constantinople, another passenger, said that when he left Turkey no apprehension was apparent in Constantinople as to possible danger to foreigners. Ambassador Morgenthau and the American flag were highly respected, he said.

A company of thirty-five opera singers, among whom was Titta Ruffo, baritone, recently organized in Italy, were on the Finland. They are going to Havana to open the National theatre, and are to be housed in the city. That no hostile warships or submarines were sighted during the voyage. From the time they left Gibraltar they were in almost constant communication by wireless with some of the allied fleet until they arrived at New York.

## BIG GENERAL EFFORT IN WEST EXPECTED TO FOLLOW ATTACKS

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"The attack, which commenced early in the day, completely failed and the positions everywhere on the heights remained in our possession."

"Southwest of Ally stubborn fighting continued throughout the night and resulted in our favor."

"In an unsuccessful attack in force to the north of Pirey the French sustained heavy losses."

"In battles yesterday in the Bois Le Pretre we took four machine guns. Very severe night battles which followed were favorable to us."

"The very heavy French losses in the engagements between the Meuse and the Moselle cannot yet be approximately estimated. Between Selous and Lamartville woods our troops counted 700 dead and at a small place north of Regneville more than 500 dead bodies were found. We took eleven French officers and 804 men and seven machine guns."

"An anchored balloon which the French state descended within their lines is now anchored near Moerchingen, where it landed."

"In the Vosges a snowstorm prevented active fighting on a large scale."

"In the eastern theatre: 'Near Mariampol and Kalwarya and near Klimki, on the Skwa, Russian attacks were repulsed.'

"At a place near Bromierz, west of Pionisk, the Russians kept up a very lively infantry and artillery fire all night."

"The German official statement as transmitted today by wireless telegraph direct to Saville, N. Y., is in briefer form than the version forwarded to the United States by way of London. The statement, as received at Saville, from Berlin, was as follows:

officers and 804 men. They also took seven machine guns."

"A German captive balloon which escaped in consequence of its wire rope being shot away, did not land, as was stated by the French bulletin, inside the French lines, but arrived safely at Maerchingen."

"In the Vosges mountains a blizzard prevented any fighting."

"Near Mariampol and Kalwarya and near Klimki, on the Skwa, Russian attacks were repulsed. Russians were ejected from a village near Bromierz, to the west of Pionisk. They lost 350 prisoners and three machine guns."

"In Poland to the south of the Vistula the Russians kept up a lively infantry and artillery fire during the whole night."

**Russian Official Statement.**  
Petrograd, via London, April 11, 11 p. m.—The following official statement from central headquarters was issued tonight:

"West of the Niemen isolated actions continue in the region of river Szesupa."

"In the Carpathians the enemy on April 9 and the following night attacked in tierred columns, strongly supported by artillery, our troops, who had advanced toward the southern slopes of the principal mountain chain. These attacks were repulsed with enormous loss to the enemy and we captured a battalion with 23 officers and machine guns."

"In the direction of Uzesk, after a stubborn fight, we carried several heights, capturing 1000 men, 22 officers and four machine guns."

"In the direction of Stry (East Galicia) the enemy's attacks have continued. On the other sectors of our front there has been no marked change."

**Small Steamer Attacked.**  
Plymouth, Eng., April 11.—The small steamer President was attacked today by a German submarine. The crew of ten men were rescued by a torpedo destroyer. It has not been ascertained as yet whether the President was sunk.

## White Capper Found Guilty of Rioting

Porteau, Okla., April 11.—James Darnel, alleged leader of a band of "white cappers" today was found guilty of rioting and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. It was charged that Darnel led a band which assaulted James Parker, a wealthy Indian of Panama, in an effort to make him leave the community. Parker was taken from his home, whipped and his hair cut.

Four men are under indictment for alleged part in the "white capping."

**Fire at Rogers.**  
Rogers, April 11.—At an early hour last night the Farmers' Cotton Oil plant was destroyed by fire, same was partly covered by insurance.

## VOON BEHNSTORFF MAKES PUBLIC NOTES ARMS EXPORTATION

GERMAN AMBASSADOR GIVES OUT CORRESPONDENCE CENSURING UNITED STATES FOR SUPPLYING MUNITIONS OF WAR TO THE ALLIES.

## IS NOT STRICT NEUTRALITY

Declares New Industry of Ammunition and Arms Being Created in This Country—Seems, Says Note, United States Has Accepted Orders of the British Council.

Washington, April 11.—Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, made public tonight the text of the note he recently presented to the state department, declaring that "if the American people desire to observe true neutrality they will find means to stop the exclusive exportation of arms to one side, or at least to use this export trade as a means to uphold the legitimate trade with Germany, especially in foodstuffs."

The memorandum does not call for a reply but the state department already has drafted one which will be delivered probably within the next few days.

The text of the memorandum follows:

"The different British orders-in-council have altered the universally recognized rules of international law in such a one-sided manner that they arbitrarily suppress the trade of neutral countries with Germany. Already prior to the last order in council the shipment of conditional contraband, especially foodstuffs, to Germany, was practically impossible. The American government made in London on December 23, 1914, not a single shipment of such goods for Germany has been effected from the United States after that date. The protest and as far as is known to the German embassy, only one such shipment has been attempted by an American shipper. Ship and cargo were immediately seized by the British and are still detained at a British port. As a pretext for this unwarranted action, the British government referred to a decree of the German federal council concerning the export of foodstuffs. Nevertheless, the United States government has not yet obtained the release of the ship nor has it after eight months of war succeeded in safeguarding the legitimate American trade with Germany. Such a delay, especially when the supply of foodstuffs is concerned, seems equivalent to a complete failure. It is therefore to be assumed that the United States government has accepted England's violations of international law."

**Contradiction to Law.**  
"The seizure of an American ship under these circumstances was in contradiction with the recognized principles of international law. Nevertheless, the United States government has not yet obtained the release of the ship nor has it after eight months of war succeeded in safeguarding the legitimate American trade with Germany. Such a delay, especially when the supply of foodstuffs is concerned, seems equivalent to a complete failure. It is therefore to be assumed that the United States government has accepted England's violations of international law."

"Furthermore, has to be considered the attitude of the government of the United States concerning the question of the exportation of war material. The imperial embassy hopes to agree with the government of the United States in assuming that with regard to the question of neutrality there is not only a noteworthy question, but also the spirit in which neutrality is enforced."

"Conditions in the present war are different from those in any former wars. For this reason, it is not surprising that the fact that perhaps in former wars Germany furnished belligerents with war material. Because in those former cases the question was not whether war material was furnished to the belligerents, but merely which one of the competing countries would furnish it. In the present war with the exception of the United States all the countries capable of supplying war material are either at war themselves or completing their armaments and have accordingly prohibited the exportation of war material. Therefore, the only country in a position to export war material. This fact ought to give a new meaning to the idea of neutrality, independent of the formal law."

**New Industry in United States.**  
"Instead of that and in contradiction with the real spirit of neutrality, the American industry is supplying only Germany's enemies, a fact which is no way modified by the purely humanitarian willingness to furnish Germany as well, if it were possible."

"If the American people desire to observe true neutrality they will find means to stop the exclusive exportation of arms to one side, or at least to use this export trade as a means to uphold the legitimate trade with Germany, especially the trade in foodstuffs. This spirit of neutrality should appear in the treatment of the United States as it has been maintained towards Mexico."

"According to the declaration of a congressman made in the house committee for foreign relations, December 30, 1914, President Wilson is quoted as having said on February 4, 1914, when the embargo on arms for Mexico was lifted:

"We should stand for genuine neutrality, considering the surrounding facts of the case. He then held in that case because Carranza had no ports, while Huerta had them and was able to import these materials that it was our duty as a nation to treat them (Carranza and Huerta) upon an equality if we wished to observe the true spirit of neutrality as compared with a mere paper neutrality."

"This conception of the true spirit of neutrality, the spirit of the present case, would lead to an embargo on arms."

In reply to published reports to the effect that American officials were in publication, as the American notes (the went to Berlin, including that regarding the Frye case, have been published."

Dr. Truett Addresses 1500.  
Dallas, April 11.—Rev. Dr. George W. Truett of the First Baptist church, addressed 1500 men and boys this afternoon at the city hall auditorium. His subject was on "Young Manhood."

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WILHELM COMES INTO U. S. PORT WITH THRILLING STORY

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kind to us and that if Great Britain had been organized as well as we were to patrol the South Atlantic we never could have remained alive these many months. Sir Edward Grey sent us those two big guns on our after deck. He sent them to us on the British steamer La Correntina on October 7. When we got those four-inch guns we felt pretty safe. The La Correntina didn't use her guns because she didn't have any ammunition. We didn't give her battle because she was helpless, but after we took the guns and what of her cargo we wanted, we put some bombs into her and down she went. We made ammunition for her guns on board ship. Some of the merchant ships we sank with our own guns, some we blew up with bombs and in some cases we were compelled to ram the ships also.

"Sir Edward Grey also was kind to us in sending us coal, for we took on board from enemy ships during our voyage more than 2000 tons."

"We were a peculiar looking crowd until France came to our rescue with the uniforms we wear. We made the uniforms for all our merchant crew from cloth which was captured from the enemy. The color was not exactly German, but the cloth was good. We wanted dark blue, but could only find this gray blue and so you see we are strange looking German sailors today. From the Guadeloupe we also got shoes, leather and thousands of dollars worth of things which were on their way to the French army. We tell you the sinking of the Guadeloupe was a bad stroke for the French."

**Criticism American Odenwald Action.**  
Lieut. Warneke was asked if the Kron Prinz Wilhelm had not hoped to get help from the German steamer Odenwald, which was held up by the United States at San Juan, Porto Rico, several weeks ago. He made no direct reply to the question, but declared that the action on the part of the United States in denying clearance to the Odenwald was "the worst this America had done."

"Why did you Americans not give clearance to the Odenwald?" he asked sharply. "We heard all about it by our wireless. We had good wireless newspapers. We had good wireless apparatus aboard all the time and Sir Edward Grey kindly sent us several new sets when we needed them. The denial of clearance to this America was the only thing that America has done simply held that ship up in Porto Rico until the British ships could come and try to catch us."

Lieut. Warneke said that most of the one thousand British and allied ships were sent from time to time by German ships to Buenos Aires, Rio Janeiro, Pernambuco and Santos. Three hundred and sixty of the French steamer Guadeloupe were sent ashore at Pernambuco.

**Kept in Touch With Eitel.**  
Several weeks ago, the officer said, the Kron Prinz Wilhelm was getting short of coal and supplies and some of her crew and prisoners were afflicted with beriberi. It had hoped to get supplies from the German ship Macedonia, which was reported to have escaped from Las Palmas several weeks ago. This vessel, they learned, however, had been captured by British vessels. This hope gone, they steamed north through the middle of the Atlantic and were in touch with events transpiring regarding the Prinz Eitel Friedrich tonight that the original destination was New York, but that warnings were given not to attempt to make that port. Although officers would not admit it, the Wilhelm is declared to be waiting for the Eitel Friedrich to be interned. As soon as this news reached her she was ordered to make a dash and creep in through the Bermuda archipelago. That four were off the cape last night was ascertained by several of the Prinz Wilhelm's officers. One of them declared they were so close that they could see the lights of the British and French warships could be heard about 3 o'clock this morning.

A member of the crew of the Wilhelm, who formerly was in the United States navy, declared the crew witnessed an encounter between the Karlsruhe and the British cruiser Bristol.

**Clash Between Karlsruhe and Bristol.**  
"When off the Bermudas," he said, "the British cruiser Bristol and the Karlsruhe came up and we were forced to run for it. While the Karlsruhe was engaging the Bristol we were steaming straight away. The Karlsruhe in that place you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair."

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**Campaign to Obtain Recruits in London**  
London, April 11, 7:50 p. m.—A great patriotic campaign to obtain recruits for Field Marshal Earl Kitchener's new army was opened in London today. The campaign is to be carried on for a fortnight.

As the result of the Trafalgar Square meeting today 200 recruits registered as the chief recruiting office near by.

During the fortnight's campaign 150 meetings will be held, while troops will engage in street marching.

**Villa Army Defeated.**  
Laredo, Tex., April 11.—McGuire reports here from Mexico today said the fight between Carranza and Villa forces at Celaya has ended in defeat for the Villa army, which was said to be retreating northward from Celaya.

The report which came from Carranza sources, said Villa's losses in dead and wounded would reach three thousand. Other details were lacking.

**French Steamer Torpedoed.**  
Plymouth, Eng., April 12, 3:22 a. m.—The French steamer Frederic Frank was torpedoed off Star Point in the English channel Sunday, but was towed into Plymouth by government tugs. No lives were lost.

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## City Commission Meets This Morning

The last regular meeting of the city commission with its present personnel will be held at 9 o'clock this morning in the city hall. A special meeting will be held Wednesday morning, at which time the newly elected city officers will appear to take the oath of office and be inducted into their offices. The new commissioners will take their places around the commission table, replacing J. A. Littlefield, J. W. Foster and Thomas A. Cauffman.

Mayor Riggins has called a mass meeting to be held at the city hall Thursday night, at which time appointments of city officers will be made. It is understood many changes are to be made. The mayor also proposes to make a report to the citizens of Waco of the first year of his tenure, defending some of his questioned acts. He will also outline his plans for the next year. The new commissioners will be present, and will probably address the meeting.

The city commission in its meeting this morning will take up the ordinance regulating telephone service in Waco, which was passed to its third reading at the meeting last Monday. The ordinance is intended to supplement the franchise of the Texas Telephone company, granted when the commission authorized the consolidation of the two telephone systems here. The ordinance regulates the requirement of advance payment of phone rents, sets time in which repairs must be made and new phones installed, and refers disputes between the company and subscribers to the commission for adjudication. The ordinance as passed to its third reading was prepared in conference between the commission and representatives of the telephone company, and no opposition is expected to its passage this morning.

## San Diego Exposition Is Paying Expenses

San Diego, Calif., April 11.—The San Diego exposition has passed its third month with the best profit shown to date, and has broken all records in exposition history by paying expenses with a good margin of profit so early in the year. The success at the gates is attributed in great measure to the fact that the low railway rates from eastern points went into effect on March 1 and immediately released an enormous touring population that refused to travel in the first two months of the year.

With the financial success of the fair now assured, as the bulk of the eastern tourist business is not yet under way, the exposition is planning numerous special events which were delayed in execution until the visiting crowds should warrant the expenditure. The first considerable addition is in the realm of music, starting with the presentation of Haydn's "Creation" on Easter Sunday, and continuing with the engagement of Creators' band for the last week of April and the first week of May. This will be followed immediately with the engagement of the Long Beach concert band, which in recent years has figured importantly in coast musical events. These and other organizations to follow of course supplement the various bands doing regular duty throughout the year.

It is also contemplated to start with imposing pageants shortly. Detailed plans for these were prepared months ago, but the schedule was delayed until spring. These are planned in connection with the special days set aside for the states. April 12-18 is set aside for the New England states, the last day being Patriots' day in New England.

The biggest motor tour thus far in the year is scheduled for April 10, when the Automobile club of Southern California moves down from Los Angeles. Five hundred cars are already promised by the managers, and this number should be amplified by additions from nearby motoring centers.

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## THE BIBLE AND CHARACTER BUILDING.

In the hope of stimulating character building among the young women of the country, Mrs. Helen Gould Shepard has again offered an autograph Bible to every member of the Young Women's Christian Association in America who memorizes a stipulated number of passages from the Scriptures. It is the conviction of Mrs. Shepard that these verses, committed to memory, will have an influence upon the lives of the young women learning them and that they will be thus enabled to build stronger and firmer characters than if they had not thus closely studied the Word of God. Mrs. Shepard is right.

The passages that have been chosen for memory work are largely from those that deal with habit-formation and character building, beginning with the Ten Commandments in Exodus, and continuing with eight of the Psalms, two chapters from Isaiah that forecast the coming of the Messiah, a selection from Micah, all from the Old Testament, while from the New Testament there are included the various chapters from Matthew in which the Sermon on the Mount appears, the twenty-fifth chapter of Matthew, dealing with the parables of the ten talents, the wise and foolish virgins, and describing the last judgment, with many passages from the Gospel by John, including the Lord's Prayer, along with many of the more important passages from the various epistles, including the thirteenth chapter of First Corinthians, in which the qualities of charity or love are set forth.

It would be difficult for anyone to study these magnificent passages of Scripture without becoming stronger, mentally and spiritually, in the process. And young women of today need the wisdom and strength which come from the study of the Scriptures and their personal devotions to God more than ever before, perhaps, now that changing social and economic conditions have thrown them more and more upon their own responsibilities and out into the world where temptation and pitfalls surround them on every hand. Hundreds of them fall who would not do so, perhaps, if they were buoyed up by a strong conviction of what is right and wrong and of what is really worth while in life and what is not. A study of the Bible is a wonderful aid in reaching a proper valuation of things and a young woman fighting her own battles in the world finds this to be one of her most important problems.

Mrs. Shepard is doing a good work in encouraging Bible study. She has been carrying it on quietly for several years, but it is assuming larger proportions this year from the fact that more of the classes for organized Bible study in the local associations have taken up the matter. Mrs. Shepard is a splendid example of what Bible study, the Christian religion, Christian service and an unselfish spirit will do for one. She was the daughter of the most noted financier of his day, Jay Gould. Some other members of the family have dissipated their fortunes in the follies of high society and their names have appeared in the divorce courts and other undesirable connections. But Mrs. Shepard has gone along quietly doing good in the world, serving God and her fellows, men, women and children, and millions of people have and will continue to have occasion to bless her for the good that she has done in the world.

Everybody likes to come to Waco, with the possible exception of the Texas cattlemen, and they would want to come here if they really knew the good things that are in store for them. This is the logical convention center of Texas and most of the people of the state have recognized it.

The business or professional man who makes the trade trips that will be made this year under the joint auspices of the Y. M. B. B. and the Cotton Palace will miss one of the best offerings.

## COMANCHE COUNTY'S WAY.

Our friend, Dr. Brooks, the president of Baylor University, used to remind us that "There is no competition in culture." But he did not mean to imply that there was a monopoly in culture. Just so there is no monopoly in meeting the rural problems about which we hear so much today. Many of the plans that are being worked successfully in various places have many points in common, but no single plan will work successfully everywhere, because the conditions to be met are not the same, but it behooves those who are interested in the salvation of any single community or section to ascertain how similar conditions have been met elsewhere and to apply to their own purposes all the wisdom that can be gained from the experience of others.

Over in Comanche county the farmers have organized a marketing association, which, from all reports, has met with marked success and it is now in its second year of operation. The farmers came together and effected their organization, employed a sales manager whose chief duty it was to find a market for their produce of various kinds—principally hogs, at first—and when he found the market notify them to bring in their produce on a stated day. He shipped it for them, looked after the collections and then distributed to each member of the association his share of the proceeds. When the organization was first launched the shipments were made in one and two carload lots, but so prosperous has the business become and so interested are the farmers that the shipments now reach the volume of six or seven cars. The association, assisted by the local banks, pay the members nearly the market price for their hogs, based upon a safe margin. The hogs are graded at Comanche, the shipping point, and if they bring more than the price advanced to the farmers, the profits are distributed among the members of the association, based upon a per cent basis and the grade and weight of the hogs each member had in the shipment.

The association does not advance any money on the cattle, but the cattle are so marked that ownership is easily established and they are sold by the sales manager at the best prices obtainable, and each man shipping is furnished a sales account from both the buyer and the sales manager, showing what his cattle brought. In the future the association will strive to handle everything the farmer raises for sale except cotton.

Expenses of the association are met by charging an annual membership fee of \$1 and a commission of 3 per cent on the net proceeds of the sales, though it is believed this charge can be reduced. The sales manager is charged with the duty of finding a market for whatever produce the members have to sell. They notify him of what they have and after he finds the market he notifies them to bring their stuff in. Merchants, banks and other business interests of Comanche co-operate in the movement and both the farmers and the business men are profiting from the movement.

During the past year the association shipped twenty-seven cars of hogs, at a value of \$27,000. Recently the association shipped 74 head of cattle, five carloads of sweet potatoes, one carload of hay, 500 bushels of peanuts, and a large quantity of millet seed for planting purposes.

McLennan county needs such a marketing association. This county is more thickly populated and has doubtless a richer soil than Comanche. There is no reason why a similar marketing association should not be launched here next year if not this. It would be the means of finding a market for the diversified products which our farmers would raise if they were assured they could do so at a profit.

John D. Rockefeller set an example to autocrats last Friday that ought to be emulated everywhere. Just as his touring car rolled out of the gates of his Tarrytown estate, one of two poor lads who were playing in the road was struck by the fender of the car and knocked down, his lips hurt, and a possible concussion resulted. Mr. Rockefeller got out of the car, called off the trip, had his nurses take the boy to a physician, who in turn sent him to a hospital. The oil magnate ordered the best surgical attention, sent a word of sympathy to the parents and assured them that everything possible would be done for the lad's recovery. Not all autocrats are able to do as much as Mr. Rockefeller, but all of them can be as courteous and ought to be willing to do all within their power to assist those whom their cars may maim.

An enthusiastic Rough Rider dropped into the office to express his regrets that Teddy Roosevelt was not given that semi-diplomatic position in Belgium which the Germans refused to let Gifford Pinchot occupy. "Teddy would have driven the whole German army back into Germany in thirty minutes and then whipped the Kaiser if necessary," declared this invincible worshiper of the hero of San Juan. And we agree that if Teddy had been assigned to the post he would have involved this country in war. For one time the strenuous one is showing discretion by his silence.

One could hardly pick a more perfect spring day than yesterday and in addition to going to church in large numbers Wacoans employed the opportunity to get out and enjoy the beautiful spectacle which this town and community always present when donned in their full spring garb.

We are warning young people who have no money against going to San Francisco, but we are wondering just how they would get there, anyhow. But young Americans are a very resourceful set and the warning holds, especially as to young women.

## THE BAROMETER AND HEALTH.

Every person capable of putting two and two together and obtaining the correct answer has been conscious of feeling out of sorts, as the printer would say, when the clouds hung low and the sun was obscured. A week of dull weather sets a whole community on edge and the mental, moral and physical components of man are, at its close, about fit for the scrap heap. Under such atmospheric conditions, when prolonged for a number of days, an Englishman admits that he feels "seedy" and the American confesses that he is feeling "mean," both adjectives relating to a state of mental and bodily dumps, according to Senior Surgeon Charles E. Banks, United States public health service.

This situation is generally attributed to the lack of sunshine, for every human being retains the ancient beliefs in the potentiality of the sun in its relation to his life and its well-being. He knows that it gives warmth and light and brings forth his crops from the fruitful earth, and rightly yields it a respect for its great and generally benign influence over mundane existence. It is true that we feel "bully" in sunny weather, but sunshine is the accompaniment of certain atmospheric conditions not wholly shown by the thermometer or the solarimeter. A few sunless days or hours are not sufficient, however, to put a hoo-doo on the temperament and activities of a whole population; there is another important controlling agency but little understood, even if appreciated, and it exercises a much greater influence than the sun in a given space of time. If the sunlight were absolutely necessary to our up-keep nightwatchmen and laborers on the morning editions would be chronic invalids, and mine workers the most unhealthy people in existence. If sunlight were necessary to animal life all of the night prowlers would cease to exist.

The gaseous envelope of atmospheric air surrounding the earth is the medium in which we have to live, and it bears the same relation to the human family as the waters of the globe to the order of fishes. The air and water are essential to the life as much a factor to man as the quality of water to the fish. This normal atmosphere air exerts on our bodies a definite dynamic force or physical pressure of 14.7 pounds on every square inch of our bodies, if we live at or near the sea level, and the higher up we go this atmospheric pressure diminishes until on the heights of the Rockies it is probably two pounds less. The normal pressure at sea level is indicated by the barometer as 30 (inches), and it decreases by an established scale as it ascends these mountain heights. Most persons know that ascents of mountain peaks, thousands of feet above sea level results in marked physical distress, difficult breathing, general depression at the summits, and in extreme cases bleeding at the nose and even from the lungs, due to this lessened atmospheric pressure. Just so it happens that when the barometer is "low" for a considerable period, say a drop from 30, the normal gauge, to 29 or below, when stormy or dull weather ensues, we get the analogous effect imperceptibly, but in an appreciable degree; for it has happened that a definite measure of atmospheric pressure is released from our bodies and naturally there follows a dislocation of our normal balance. The average adult man sustains on every pleasant day an atmospheric pressure of about 14 tons at sea level, when the barometer reads at 30 and a drop of an inch or more, to 29 and below practically takes off half a ton or more of his load to which he is accustomed. Paradoxically, instead of feeling lighter and freer man feels its disturbing, depressing effect on his tissues. He has to become adjusted to this alteration from normal tenacity to one of unusual relaxation, and while it is slow in its manifestations, as barometric changes are generally gradual, yet the effect in miniature is like going up to a great height on a mountain range. Of course this feeling is neither serious nor fatal, but the relaxed condition in unpleasant weather extending over a number of days makes us feel "out of sorts."

While the spell is on we are in the doldrums and the situation is recognized as of enough importance by careful surgeons, who weigh every factor, to defer important operations which can be postponed, when these unfavorable barometric conditions prevail, and the patient needs every ounce of vitality to pull through. It is just as well to know these fundamental facts about the influences which affect our physical being so that we can estimate that "tired" or "good-for-nothing" feeling which accompanies a spell of dull weather; to know that it has a definite and transitory cause outside our bodies. It is really an explanation of the ups and downs of our healthy existence. Naturally there is no remedy to be prescribed. As Mark Twain said about the weather—we talk a lot about it, but we never do anything to improve it.

J. F. Strickland and Osce Goodwin of the Texas Power and Light company and the Southern Traction company, have donated a suburban park of 125 acres to the city of Dallas. While Waco is a veritable park spot already, if these same generous gentlemen would like to give us a park spot out on the interurban to enable us to take care of our future growth we shall interpose no objections.

A creditable exhibit from Waco would add a great deal to the attractiveness of the Texas building at San Francisco. What say the Chamber of Commerce and the Y. M. B. L. on the proposition?

"Made-in-Waco" week will be a revelation to lots of people if the exhibit assumes the proportions that it ought, and we see no occasion why it should not.

## Alaskan Railway One of Greatest Projects of Kind

Washington, April 11. — President Wilson's decision on the route of the proposed government railway through Alaska puts in motion the most extensive governmental railway project since the linking of the east and the Pacific coast by the trans-continental railway system. Like the latter, the new project has the two-fold aim of opening the way for pioneers and settlers in this new and almost unknown region of vast virgin resources, and at the same time providing an outlet for these resources to reach the seaboard and the trade routes to the Pacific states and the Orient.

The new project has the added problem of climatic conditions in this far-northern region, its short seasons, and a country of mountains and glaciers quite different from the plains across which most of the trans-continental route stretched. Already, however, the development of Alaska has dispelled much of the popular idea of a region of snow and ice, and the disclosed rich and fertile agricultural sections in addition to the boundless resources of coal, copper and other materials, and fur-bearing animals. Thus far private enterprise has devised the only route for penetrating this little-known region, but now for the first time the government takes in hand the building and operation of a railway 1000 miles long, running through the heart of the country.

## Much Data Considered.

President Wilson had before him an enormous amount of data on Alaska to aid in his decision as to which of the two proposed routes from Prince William Sound to Fairbanks should be followed. He had no recommendation from the Alaska engineering commission which made the investigation, however, the commissioners confining their report to a full statement of the facts regarding each route. The bill appropriating \$35,000,000 for the construction of the line was enacted last year, the commission has had hundreds of men at work locating and surveying along both routes. Additional information has been placed before the president as it became available and in anticipation of the beginning of work early in spring the commission has been making inquiries as to equipment available for the Panama canal and on other government tasks and otherwise making ready to fly a well-equipped construction army into the northern territory as soon as the president's decision was made known.

Each of the proposed routes—one known as the Cordova-Fairbanks route, the other the Seward-Fairbanks route—contemplates the construction of an existing railway line. The question lay in selecting either Seward on the west shore of Prince William Sound, or Cordova on the east shore of the tidewater terminal of the government system. The routes were of approximately the same length and estimates of construction cost did not vary widely. The issue before the president probably lay in the price at which the existing lines could be obtained. Neither route presented serious engineering difficulties.

## Outlet for Copper Mine.

From Cordova, on the eastern shore of Prince William Sound, the Copper River and Northwestern railroad, controlled by the J. P. Morgan Co., provides an outlet for copper mines at Kennicott and reaches Chitna, 132 miles distant, following the west bank of the Copper river. Not far out of Cordova the road runs for miles parallel to the coast line and crosses the Sheridan glacier flats. Making its way across a network of smaller streams which give the river an out-let to the sea, the line between Miles and Chitna follows the course of the Copper river all the way to Chitna, where it turns east again to reach the copper mines.

It is from Chitna that the proposed route to Fairbanks via Cordova continues up the Copper until the river swings to the west, then strikes directly toward Egan lake without serious grades to encounter. Beyond the lake the route lies close to the shores of the Tangle lakes, that well deserve their name, until it emerges on the broad delta where rise the sources of the Tanana river, up which the final stretch to Fairbanks would be laid.

## President Wilson Is Planning to Make Trip to Exposition

Washington, April 11. — President Wilson is planning to make his delayed trip to the San Francisco exposition as soon as foreign affairs permit. His advisers, it became known tonight, are very anxious to have him make a number of speeches in different parts of the country before the opening of the next session of congress.

Just when the trip will be made is still uncertain. Friends of the president say the completed trip has not been called a "campaign tour" and they are preventing as far as possible the formation of "Wilson clubs," to avoid even the appearance of starting a boom.

Although the political advisers of Mr. Wilson say privately they have no doubt but that he will be renominated, it was indicated tonight there will be no formal launching of his candidacy, as such a step might handicap him in carrying out the policies of his administration.

On the western trip the president is expected to explain the legislative program he will lay before the next session of congress, including the conservation bills, the Philippine bill, the Columbian and Nicaraguan treaties, budget reform and probably senate cloture.

Allies Tave Long Battle Front. Paris, April 11, 3:15 p. m. — Troops of the allies today occupy battle fronts whose length totals 1656 miles, according to a compilation made by the Matin. In the western area the French occupy 540 miles of trenches, the British 31 miles and the Belgians 17 miles.

In the eastern theatre the Russians face a front of 851 miles, while the Serbians and Montenegrins are fighting along a line of 217 miles.

Italy Warned Against Peace. Rome, via Paris, April 11. — Italians are warned by the Giornale d'Italia against what the newspaper calls the "maneuvers of belligerents in aiming to emphasize the possibility of a separate peace between Austria-Hungary and Russia with a view to hastening the intervention of neutral countries out of fear of being too late."

"The forces of the two sections of belligerents," says the paper, "are not yet so unequal that either is likely to

This would form the trunk line; but as feeder branches are contemplated to the Bering river, Matanuska and Susitna valley regions, other mineral deposits, the total mileage of the proposed branches would be 420.

Two routes to the Bering river fields were suggested, one via Katalla and the other via Lake Charlotte. It has been urged that the Katalla route would open the coal road to attack from open sea in case of war, while the Lake Charlotte line, 12 miles inland, would be protected from ships' guns by intervening hills.

## Little Heavy Equipment Used.

From Seward, on the west shore of Prince William Sound, the Alaska Northern railroad winds through the hills to Kern creek, on the shore of the Turnagain Arm of Cook inlet. The distance is 71 miles and the company is operating only light gasoline cars most of the times, heavier equipment passing over the line only when on its way to the mines. The mining machinery is to be moved by horse power, or by the use of the Turnagain Arm for thirty miles, then swing northward up the east shore of Kink Arm, crossing that inlet at its head and follow the Susitna valley to Chitna, a distance of 115 miles. Following the Chitna to Broad pass, the line would make a right angle to find its way via the canons of the Nenana river to the banks of the Tanana, which is the final stretch to Fairbanks would lie.

It was suggested that during the summer months Kink harbor on the east shore of Kink Arm, would be an available terminus, saving 115 miles of rail haul to and from Seward. The harbor is ice closed in winter, while Seward and Cordova are both ice roads.

Cordova harbor, it had been reported, is more desirable for a terminal of the line because the great depth of water at Seward makes anchorage difficult. The Seward route, however, is closer to the coal fields and to the known mineral belts than the Cordova line and it was argued that the route of the Copper river railroad made it subject to the moods of the glaciers, among which it threads its way into the river mouth.

## Coal Mines Greatest Tonnage.

Probably the greatest tonnage for the system eventually will come from the coal mines of the Matanuska or Bering river regions. Whether the Bering field would supply suitable coal for navy use or not has been a matter of controversy for years. A report on navy tests made in 1912 was submitted to congress last year which said the Bering coal was not suitable for the navy unless a higher grade of product was discovered when the deposits were explored for development. The coal consumption of the Pacific coast has been estimated at 1,500,000 tons annually, exclusive of the 150,000 tons or more that the navy will need each year.

What the government thinks of Alaska is indicated by the expenditure of \$35,000,000 for a railway, or almost five times the cost paid Russia for the United States territory gold bullion worth more than \$200,000,000 already has been produced—nearly thirty times the purchase price of Alaska—and the total Alaskan resources in furs and fisheries as well as minerals probably now exceed \$500,000,000.

All government experts agree that the surface of the mineral deposits has hardly been scratched as yet. Lode mining has been confined to the coastal regions, easy of access. Transportation of machinery and supplies has been heretofore too difficult, the problem in the interior to permit the working of any but fantastically rich placer deposits.

Only one of the many copper deposits has been more than prospected, and yet copper worth \$15,000,000 has been shipped from the territory. Alaska has a population of about 65,000, half of whom are white. Twenty thousand of these white pioneers live in the central region through which the new trunk line will operate and there are indications that their number will be quadrupled before the whole line is in operation.

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Milk Punch.—Two-thirds of a cupful of cold milk, one-half tablespoonful of sugar, a few grains of salt and one tablespoonful of rum, brandy or old whisky. Put ingredients in a tall glass, cover with a tin shaker or deep tin cup, invert and shake until frothy.

This is another nourishing and cheering beverage for invalids, and it is sometimes advised for nursing mothers who find themselves weakened with the demands of a strong, healthy baby.

Iced Tea With Fresh Mint.—Heat a coffee cup of thick crockery and put in one slack teaspoonful of good tea. Pour over boiling water and let the cupful stand in a warm place for three or five minutes. Remove, strain the tea and chill. Then sweeten slightly and pour it into a big glass of crushed ice holding three bruised mint leaves.

Orangeade.—The juice of one orange and three tablespoonfuls of finely crushed ice. Put the ice in a glass and pour over orange juice. Add sugar or sirup to sweeten if liked. The sirup is made by boiling sugar with water. The liquid is then cooled, bottled and kept in the ice box for the various summer drinks that need sweetening.

Clam Juice.—One dozen hard shell clams and two tablespoonfuls of cold water. Wash the clams thoroughly, scrubbing the shells with a brush to get off grit and changing the water several times. Put them in a saucepan, add the water, cover closely and steam until the shells open. Then remove the clams from the shells, adding liquor that comes from them to that already in the saucepan. Take off all scum, strain and serve hot with toast sippets. If put on the ice clam juice will keep several days. It is very stimulating to tired nerves, and is one of the best drinks for invalids.

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## MARKETS

### WEEKLY COTTON REVIEW.

New Orleans, April 11.—While the cotton market last week displayed signs of reaction from the long advance, the bull element was strong enough to force values up into new high ground and to hold them well toward the top in spite of growing opposition from the short side. The feature of the week was peace trading, when after a break about ten points in the early trading prices were shot upward 34 to 36 points.

At the highest of the week prices were 18 to 23 points over last week's close. July was quoted at 3.95, while October stood at 10.30. The close was at a net gain of 19 to 25 points on the trading months.

The reactionary tendency of the market and the short selling were based on average reports from private sources tending to show that the decrease this spring would not be nearly so great as bulls have predicted. Against this, however, late in the week were peace rumors, to which the market was extremely sensitive and the growing improvement in the mill situation in this country as evidenced by the heavy mill takings, which for the week were 329,000 bales against 196,000 this week last year.

This week may see the market become something of a "dead" affair, because planting is now well under way over the southern half of the belt. At the same time it is likely that the acreage question will continue to attract more attention than any other factor in the present situation, with the European war a close second.

### WEEKLY FINANCIAL REVIEW.

New York, April 11.—Causes more or less well defined made last week one of the most sensational stock market weeks of recent years, not only as to activity but in the rise of quoted values as well. The dominant feature was the continued advance in Bethlehem Steel to its new record price of 117, even after the directors failed to act on the dividend, and the sudden advance in United States Steel, which carried the balance of the list with it.

At its top price of 58, scored in the course of yesterday's furious activity. United States Steel showed a gain of 5 points over its quotation on the day the dividend was suspended and exactly 20 points over the final minimum imposed by the stock exchange authorities after that episode. Convincing explanations are still lacking. However, it was evident that public interest in the stock market had awakened in various quarters. Crop prospects added to the growing feeling of optimism.

Railroad reports were favorable.

### COTTON GOODS REVIEW.

New York, April 11.—Cotton goods markets have grown firmer and prices have continued to advance. Many lines of colored cottons now have been placed at value on withdrawal from sale because of the scarcity of dyes, and the uncertainty of further supplies. Several lines of brown and bleached domestics are quoted higher, following steady sales for summer demand.

There has been sustained activity in ready-to-wear circles.

Exports of cotton goods are larger than last year to date, much of the increase coming from the large use of cotton duck and the active trade in Mediterranean and African ports.

Denims are priced at nominal figures, as are many other colored lines. Print cloth sales have been active.

Plans for the remodeling and fireproofing of a three-story dormitory for the State Juvenile Training School at Gatesville will be ready for figures April 10, 1915. Bids to be opened May 3, 1915. Certified check for 5 per cent of bid to accompany same. Plans can be secured from:

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FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished for housekeeping; sink, lavatory. 215 N. 7th, new phone 2470.

FOR RENT—One large room, furnished complete for light housekeeping. 702 S. 3d St., new phone 1560.

FOR RENT—Upstairs furnished room, with hot and cold bath. Apply at 1615 N. 5th or ring new phone 3104.

### Lumber and Building Material

LUMBER—All building material, complete house bills shipped anywhere, long leaf, yellow pine lumber, grades guaranteed. Send us your estimates; we can save you money. J. C. Stout Lumber Co., Lake Charles, La.

### Carpet Cleaning

EXPERT CARPET CLEANING, vacuum process; reasonable prices. Wilson's carpet cleaning shop, new phone 1831.

### Cleaning and Pressing

SUITS PRESSED 50c. Burnett's, new phone 463. 413 Franklin St.

CALL O. K. Tailors for cleaning and pressing; Panama and straw hats cleaned and blocked. All work guaranteed. New phone 3262, 1117 Franklin. J. L. Lucas.

### Office and Store Room

MY BRICK BUILDING, 207 and 211 S. 7th; suitable for garage or machine shop. Apply T. B. Barton, new phone 1664.

FOR RENT—Buildings formerly occupied by oil wholesale department. We will make alterations to suit tenant's needs. Apply Sanger Bros.

FOR RENT, building suitable for garage, etc.; wash rack already installed. B. Alexander, 107 S. 5th.

### Poultry and Eggs.

FOR SALE—Fresh pure-blooded Brown Leghorn eggs for setting. Ring 310 new.

### Houses and Flats for Rent

FOR RENT CHEAP—Two nice 4-room houses, with halls and barns. 17th and Ross, near car line and school. New phone 2427.

FOR SALE at a bargain, 7-room house, Ethel Ave., Provident Heights (or will rent), all conveniences. G. B. Adams, at Younce-Adams & Co.

FOR RENT—Nice cottage, N. 20th and 21st Archer St., East Waco, four room house, \$12.

FOR RENT—A 2-story house, all modern conveniences, located 8th and Clay. Both phones 87. Simmons Feed and Fuel Co.

1624 Franklin St., six room house, \$25.

1624 Franklin St., six room house, \$25.

215 Archer St., East Waco, five room house, \$15.

JOHN SLEEPER, New Phone 405.

FOR RENT—Nice four-room cottage, good neighborhood, convenient to car. 924 North Thirtieth street. Apply to M. C. Risher, at Behrens Drug Co.

FOR RENT—Two 4-room houses, one 5-room house and one 6-room house. Phone No. 20.

FOR RENT—1002 Taylor, 205 Dallas, 415 Taylor, 417 Taylor, 417 Peach, 316 Elm. Apply Moore & Son, new phone 970.

FOR RENT—Two-story 10-room house on 16th and McKenzie Ave. Asher Sanger, Sanger Bros.

FOR RENT—Six-room house, 1526 N. 11th St., all modern improvements; only \$17.50 per month; worth \$25. Apply to William L. Dugger.

FOR RENT—Three-room apartment, all conveniences; close in. 648 new phone, or call at 501 North 10th.

### Agents Wanted

AGENTS WANTED—Article sells in every home; salary or commission. Write B. F. Gilbert, Fort Worth, Texas, box 285.

WANTED—Two or three salesmen and collectors. Must have horse. Sanger Sewing Machine Co., 707 Austin St.

WE WANT live representatives to sell a popular electrical necessity; retails for \$2; sells on sight to homes and offices. 100 per cent to district agents; 50 to 60 per cent to sub-agents; very little capital required; write at once for particulars; haven't time to talk to busy but energetic hustlers. Wallace Novelty Co., 22 East 41st St., New York.

### Situations Wanted

POSITION WANTED—Male stenographer desires employment; five years' experience; rapid and accurate; references the best; age 23, married. Address Box 14, care Morning News.

WANTED—Man with family, out of employment, wants any kind of work. Address Box 6, Morning News.

GOOD PRESSER and tailor wants position at once. Write me at Naples, Tex., Box 115.

GERMAN WIDOW, 55, wishes employment as housekeeper, for a widower, or plain cooking on a section or for private family in or out of city. Good references and experienced. Good to children. Mrs. Charles Kerle, 405 Washington St.

WORK of any kind, can drive car; also good gardener; white and married. Old phone 925.

WANTED—A position by an experienced office man, as well as salesman and manager of general merchandise. Would accept any position at present where there is a chance for advancement; references strictly first class; no tobacco or whiskey, but a steady hand, worthy of consideration. Address S. L., care of Morning News.

FIRE & BURGLAR PROOF SAFES. We sell the Herring-Hall-Martin Safes and Vault Doors. Some good second-hand safes in stock. Norman H. Smith & Co., 410 Austin St., Waco, Texas.

### Patents

INVENTIONS perfected and manufactured; best place in south for manufacturing machinery and hardware specialties. Russell Machine Co., Dallas. Reference, your banker.

### Wanted to Rent

WANTED to rent, a small house, about 4 rooms, prefers a place for chickens and a cow and small barn. L. S., care News.

WANTED—For occupancy not later than May 1, furnished home; wanted for the summer months only. Address 2911 Chartres St., Houston, Tex.

### Lost, Found, Strayed, Etc.

STRAYED OR STOLEN from 1728 Franklin, on Tuesday, April 6, an Alreada terrier pup; tan legs and face, black saddle and cut tail. Any information regarding same please telephone 1143 old phone, new phone 2351.

LOST—Mesh bag, between N. 4th and N. 9th Sts., containing over \$1 in small change; also card of Mrs. J. T. Ledbetter. Reward if returned to News office.

### Male Help Wanted

WANTED—Soda fountain man and wife at once; must furnish \$100 as security. Good pay. Apply J. S. Cherry, 808 Jackson St.

WANTED—Young men to run on trains. Apply Union News Co., 808 Jackson St.

# Monday—

## START THE WEEK OFF RIGHT—

Place that long-deferred ad where it will certainly be seen by people in all walks of life—in The Morning News.

## FURNITURE

How about that table, those chairs, bed, dressers or stoves? Get them out of the way. You can dispose of them through a Morning News Want Ad.

## ROOMS

Were some of your rooms vacated last Saturday night? Where are you located? How are they arranged and are your terms reasonable? Someone right now is looking for a room or rooms, and yours may just fill the bill. Advertise them in The Morning News. You can rent them.

## VACANT HOUSES

How long has your house been vacant? Do you know why? Perhaps the premises need touching up. Maybe it has just been vacated. Possibly you have not tried hard enough to find an occupant—or maybe you haven't tried in the right way. Suppose you make an effort (tomorrow) through a Morning News Want Ad, to rent your place. The Morning News can do for you just what it has been doing for others every day.

These are only three instances of the utility of Morning News Want Ads. Very few walks of life could be mentioned wherein the use of Morning News Want Ads would not prove profitable.

When you have a want, think of The Morning News.

Then phone it to—  
Either Phone 1132.

### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN—We have plenty of money to loan on well improved farms, and good brick business property. McLarty & Bain, 704 Amicable Bldg., old phone 745.

WE HAVE an unlimited amount of money to loan on well-improved farm lands. Waco Securities Co., Waco, Texas.

### Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—At a discount, equity in two choice Oak Lawn lots. Address Box 1107, or ring 2483, new phone.

### Wanted to Buy

WANTED—To buy a few small vendon lien notes. Address Box 52, News.

### Educational

ATTEND TOBY'S BUSINESS COLLEGE. NONE BETTER. OPEN ALL YEAR. ALSO TEACH BY MAIL.

### Female Help Wanted

WANTED—Good stout able-bodied white woman to help wait on sick lady. Apply to Mrs. Puckett, 411 1/2 Franklin St.

### Paving at Temple.

Temple, April 11.—Paving operations on South First street from the Santa Fe railway to Avenue G, a distance of five blocks, will start Monday morning, the area to be covered with vitrified brick. Property owners along the route have joined in paying their proportionate part. The same street

for an additional five blocks from Avenue G to L will be laid in asphaltic concrete under another contract. In all sections of the city paving operations are now being carried on at a brisk rate, there being about ten miles to be laid in hard pavement under outstanding contracts.

Bell County Grain Needs Rain. Belton, April 11.—County Agricultural Demonstrator Thomas Youngblood, who has just concluded a tour of Bell county, is authority for the statement that grain is needing rain at present and that good showers will work wonders on the crop. In many places the stand of corn is described as being poor. Insects have destroyed the heart of the embryo stalk, necessitating replanting in a number of instances.

C. S. Poe Has Relatives at Temple. Temple, April 11.—Responding to a telegram received last night stating that his uncle, C. S. Poe of Eastland, was interned in a hospital there suffering from dangerous injuries, H. C. Poe, president of the Temple State bank, departed for his relative's bedside by first train. Later advice stated that the elder Poe had been struck on the head with a hammer by a tenant farmer near Carbon and was in Dallas for treatment.

S. W. Glee Club at Belton. Belton, April 11.—The Southwestern university Glee Club will appear at Baylor college in this city on the night of April 12 at a benefit performance. Unusual interest is being displayed in the occurrence and the event is predicted to prove a great success.

### RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway. All trains arrive and depart at M. K. & T. station, corner Eighth and Jackson streets. W. A. Morrow, district passenger agent, Sixth and Franklin streets.

Southbound.  
No. 21, Kansas City Special, via Fort Worth, arrives 9:50 p.m.  
No. 1, San Antonio local, leaves at 10:00 p.m.  
No. 3, San Antonio Local, (makes up here) leaves 7:30 a.m.  
No. 5, Flyer for Houston and Galveston, leaves 12:01 a.m.  
No. 25, Flyer for Austin and San Antonio, leaves 12:10 a.m.  
No. 9, Limited for San Antonio and Houston, leaves 1:30 p.m.

Northbound.  
No. 2, Kansas City Special via Fort Worth, arrives 8:20 a.m.  
No. 4, San Antonio Local (stops here) arrives 7:45 p.m.  
No. 6, Flyer for



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## Texas Lumber & Loan Co.

Old Phone 343

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## Coal vs. Natural Gas Subject of Debate At the Rotary Club

Diverse opinions as to the relative merits of coal and natural gas as a fuel for Waco will be debated at the weekly meeting of the Rotary club at the State House at 12:15 today. W. D. Lacy, Jr., of the Lacy Coal company, will urge the superior qualities of coal, while F. J. Booth of the Texas Power and Light company will contend that coal is not to be considered where natural gas can be had. An interesting discussion is promised.

Dr. S. P. Brooks will preside as toastmaster and there will be other special features of entertainment provided by a committee consisting of W. J. Neale and John F. Wright.

(Adv.)

## First Baptists Plan For Sunday School of 600 By May 1

Five hundred and eighty-four members present was the record of the Sunday school of the First Baptist yesterday morning. The school is in a campaign to reach a membership of 600 by May 1. Last Sunday the membership was reported at 508, and the Sunday before, 436, which was a record at that time. Two more Sundays remain in the month and it is confidently expected that the 600 mark will be reached if not passed by the first Sunday in May. Special features have been added to the Sunday school, intended to meet the requirements of all ages and temperaments. A business men's class, taught by the pastor, Dr. J. M. Dawson, has proved a great success and is constantly increasing in membership and interest.

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FOR DEAD MEMBERS OF OR-  
DER HELD.

## CHARTER AND ALTAR ARE DRAPED

City Attorney John Maxwell Delivers  
Eloquent Oration on "Im-  
mortality."

Honor was paid to those brethren who have departed this world yesterday morning by the Waco members of the Loyal Order of Moose, services being held in the Hippodrome theatre. Yesterday was the regular Moose Memorial Sunday, but this is the first time it has been formally observed in Waco.

Meeting at the Moose hall, members of the lodge marched to the theatre in a body, taking seats in a reserved section to the front. The stage was suitably draped with symbols of mourning for the occasion. D. F. Nolen, sergeant at arms, called the meeting to order and stationed the remaining officers as they entered, as follows: Buck Mims, prelate; A. N. Selden, acting vice dictator; George Cargile, dictator.

The charter was draped with black crepe and red roses, the altar in black and white. Then followed the opening prayer by the prelate, charges by the vice dictator and dictator, interspersed with a vocal selection by a quartette and then came the mortuary roll call.

Seven members of the local lodge have died: George N. Crawford, J. Frank O'Donnell, J. I. Deslert, William Ragan, Michael Hennessy, Henry Wulfs and J. A. Meehan.

As each name was called the hall was silent for a moment, signifying that no more would they answer to their names on earth. The dictator made his farewell charge, another selection was rendered by the quartette and then John Maxwell, city attorney delivered the memorial oration on "Immortality."

Mr. Maxwell spoke of the briefness of the earthly life and how no man knew when he was to be called to his final accounting. Had man nothing to look forward to but his life on earth, he said, there would be nothing but a role of license. If no future reward or future punishment was in store, man would simply follow his own impulses and society would be chaotic. That such was not the condition of the world, he declared, pointed most strongly to the fact that there was a life beyond where each brother would meet and know those who had gone on before.

His address, while short, was a masterly one and made a deep impression on those present. Mrs. Adair played a funeral march on the pipe organ and after the closing prayer by the prelate, the services were dismissed by the dictator.

## Girl Crosses Ocean From Scotland to Marry Man in Waco

A romance which began in Scotland, years ago, culminated here last week when Rev. E. E. Ingram joined in marriage J. Jarvis, in the employ of the Texas Telephone company, and Miss J. M. Stewart, who reached here Tuesday night, making the long trip from Glasgow in order to become the bride of the man who had won her heart before he came to the new world.

The young people were entertained at two social gatherings, composed largely of some of Waco's Scottish population, before they went to their new home, 919 North Ninth street.

## Congressman Henry Arrives in Waco

Congressman Robert L. Henry and his secretary, W. E. Clark, reached Waco last evening, having come from New York by water to Galveston. Mr. Henry was tired out by the trip and asked not to be disturbed last night. He said, however, that he expected to begin planning for his senatorial campaign today.

Some months ago, Mr. Henry stated that, at the proper time, he would announce as a candidate to succeed United States Senator Charles Culberson. The primary does not take place until a year from this summer, but Texas is a big state and Mr. Henry intends to cover practically all of it in his campaign.

**Negro Almost Scalped.**  
Emmett McGrew, a negro, narrowly escaped scalping about 6:30 last night, when another negro slashed him severely on the head and arm with a razor, the affray taking place on Bridge street. McGrew was taken to Providence sanitarium and his wounds dressed. He will be able to go home tomorrow.

Say Golden-Rod to your feed dealer and he will tell you it is the best. For sale by all dealers. Cornforth Grain Co., distributors.—(Adv.)

The world's greatest discovery—Golden-Rod. For sale by all dealers. Cornforth Grain Co., distributors.—(Adv.)

## CHILD GETS SICK CROSS, FEVERISH IF CONSTIPATED

"CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS"  
CAN'T HARM TENDER STOM-  
ACH OR BOWELS.

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is restless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation, poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will go right out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sick case.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups, plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

## INSTRUCTIONS READY ON GROWING GARDENS

TEXAS INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS  
RECOMMENDS READING OF  
FEDERAL BULLETIN.

President J. J. Powers of Chamber of  
Commerce to Appoint Com-  
mittees This Week.

The first of the series of pamphlets recommended by the Texas Industrial Congress for reading by the boys and school garden contests is announced as ready for distribution. Any girls who have entered in the home art contest "School Supervised Home Gardens," from the bureau of education, Washington, D. C.

Designed to follow the first bulletin, garden specialists of the bureau of education at Washington have in preparation other circulars for distribution bearing upon the practical work of home and school gardens and these are especially recommended by the Texas Industrial Congress for the use of the 15,000 boys and girls who are competing for the prizes offered by the congress.

Cleaning up the back yard is mentioned in the circular as one of the desirable things that results from the garden movement. It should be completely ridged of all rubbish, and if a high board fence surrounds it, the plot will be improved if the wire fence is replaced by a chicken wire fence. Board fences are objectionable because they often prevent free surface drainage and free circulation of air, as well as exclude the helpful sunshine from the plants for much of the time.

Beginners in gardening, the bureau recommends, should be encouraged to select the more easily grown crops as onions, radishes, lettuce, peas, carrots, beets, tomatoes, and cabbages. Too frequently boys select too many crops and fail to raise enough of any to be of use either for home or market purposes. For market purposes the fewer the crops, consistent with continuous cropping, the greater the financial returns. Too much stress cannot be placed on the necessity of selecting crops that will be required to supply the home or for which there is a good market.

Soil should be broken in the spring as early as possible, yet it should not be handled while the weather is so cold. A liberal dressing of well-rotted manure spaded into the soil supplies plant food, improves the physical conditions and serves to hold moisture during dry seasons. As it is often beneficial, as it "sweetens" the soil, or neutralizes any of its acid character. In order to give the seed the most favorable chances for development, the soil should be well pulverized before planting.

Instructions are also given as to planting, thinning and weeding. Frequent and thorough cultivation liberates plant food, preserves moisture and improves the condition of the soil. An effort should be made to keep a loose dust-like or soil mulch on the surface to prevent the evaporation of water. To maintain soil it will be necessary to cultivate soon after each rain or watering. When artificial watering is practiced it should be remembered that one heavy application is better than many sprinklings.

Committees to carry on the work of the organizer of the Texas Industrial Congress, who recently received the application blanks of over 1,600 Waco boys and girls during his stay here, will be held by President J. J. Powers of the Chamber of Commerce this week. It is understood that members of the parent-teachers' clubs of the various public schools will be asked to act in this capacity for their respective schools.

## Pastors' Association To Consider Nurse Proposition Today

A meeting of the Pastors' association of the city is called for this morning at 11:30 at the Y. M. C. A. Rev. D. A. McIntire, who issued the call last night, stated that the work of the visiting nurse, recently appointed under the ordinance passed over the veto of Mayor Riggins, would be presented to the pastors.

Moved.  
Torbett & Germond Co. to our new brick building, corner Fourteenth and Franklin.—(Adv.)

City Garbage.  
Will pay you \$1.10 a head for your dead cows and horses and will call and get them. Call City Hall, old phone 887, new phone 2402.—(Adv.)

Lost—\$250 horse—Golden-Rod. For sale by all dealers. Cornforth Grain company, Distributors.—(Adv.)

## COTTON BELT HELPER CRUSHED TO DEATH

EARL MATTHEWS INSTANTLY  
KILLED WHILE RELEASING  
CAR COUPLING.

## CHEST AND ARMS SHATTERED

Funeral to Take Place Today—Will Be  
Attended by Friends From  
Yoakum and Tyler.

Earle Matthews, 21 years old, hostler helper for the Cotton Belt railroad, was crushed to death near the station at Fifth and Mary streets yesterday morning. Matthews had gone between the engine tender and the baggage car to release the couplings. In some manner, not known, because there were no eyewitnesses, but thought to have been when the engine was moved back to allow slack in the couplings, he was caught across the chest between the heavy iron couplings. His chest was crushed in, both arms being shattered across. The injured man's head fell over on the coupling bar of the tender, where he gasped a few times and died, living only a few seconds.

Mr. Matthews was the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Matthews, 1509 North Eleventh street. He had been working as hostler helper only three days, before that time having been employed in the storekeeper's department. Before he had been employed as hostler helper for about a year.

He was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, having his name on the rolls of the Yoakum local. The president of this local and several members of the order from Yoakum and Tyler arrived in the city last night to attend the funeral. Besides his father and mother, Mr. Matthews is survived by five sisters, Mrs. M. C. Abernathy, Mrs. J. E. Sawyer, Misses Ruth, Ellen and Ray Matthews, all of whom live in Waco. The father, A. J. Matthews, has been employed by the Cotton Belt for many years as a car carpenter.

The body was taken in charge by Undertaker F. M. Compton, and was later taken to the home of the family last night. Funeral will be from the residence, 1509 North Eleventh street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon, with burial in Greenwood cemetery. Rev. W. H. Howard and Rev. A. E. Carraway will officiate. Pall bearers will be selected from members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen who arrived last night from Tyler and Yoakum.

## Rehearsals Called For Performers in "Mikado" Tonight

An important rehearsal of the combined men's and women's choruses in "The Mikado," the comic opera that will be presented, as a special benefit performance for the Baylor athletic fund, at the Auditorium on the night of May 5, will be held tonight at 7 o'clock at Carroll chapel. Attendance of every member of the chorus is requested by Mr. Evans, the director.

All principals in the performance will meet tonight at 7:45 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Howard Mann, North Twenty-first street, where Mrs. Mann, who is training the principals, will conduct a rehearsal. She likewise requests a full attendance.

Waco's best talent will appear in "The Mikado" and so large is the interest in the forthcoming production of it here that the people of the city are complying with the request of the general arrangement committee of the Baylor alumni association that no conflicting engagements of any character be made for that night.

## McCartney Visits Old Home in Waco

S. H. McCartney, recently appointed secretary and auditor for the Nevada, Colorado & Oregon railway, with headquarters at Reno, Nev., is in Waco spending a few days with his mother before taking up his new duties. He has many friends here who congratulated him yesterday on his good fortune. As may be remembered, the C. & O. is the railway recently acquired by Col. Chas. Hamilton and Ramsey Cox of Waco.

## COMFORTING WORDS

Many a Waco Household Will Find Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed—to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. The following advice of one who has suffered will prove comforting words to hundreds of Waco readers.

J. Edgar Dyer, 927 North 20th St., Waco, says: "I suffered from a severe pain across the small of my back and my bladder bothered me. My health was much run down. Doan's Kidney Pills procured at the Old Corner Drug Store, quickly relieved all the distressing symptoms of the trouble."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Dyer had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

## A Bucket of Minnesota Paint and a Brush

Will transform your house to a thing of beauty. Talk to

Wm. Cameron & Co.  
Decorating Dept.

## Monday Sale of Stamped Gowns in the Art Needle Work Department

WHITE CREPE GOWNS, cut very full, square round and "V" neck, stamped in all the new designs, regular 75c value, for this special sale, only ..... 53c  
WHITE NAINSOOK GOWNS, cut very full, good quality of soft finish nainsook, stamped in new designs; these gowns are ready made and only require embroidering. 50c values at..... 39c  
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## Mayor Issues Hot Rejoinder

Raises Issue of Veracity in Reply to Statement in This Paper Regarding His Interview on Nurse Proposition—Public Can Draw Its Own Conclusions in the Matter.

Waco, Tex., April 11, 1914.

To the Waco Morning News:  
The Times-Herald representative called me up yesterday morning and asked if I was properly quoted in the Morning News. I made the reply, "The statement made in the Morning News this morning was not authorized by me." I now repeat to you the same thing. Your office called me up. I was taking a bath. My daughter informed me that you wanted me. I instructed her to phone you as you had requested.

I made the statement over the phone that I had not been invited to the meeting on Friday afternoon to discuss the nurse question; that I had not attended such a meeting; that I never used the language that you made me use in this morning's News, and the public would know it at the proper time and in the proper way. I then retired and in a very few minutes went back to the phone, called up the News office and said: "Did you understand me clearly, that I did not want any statement made as coming from me concerning this matter?" I never used the language that you made me use in this morning's News, to the effect that I would leave it to your representative as to what was stated.

There were two people in my room at the time I was talking and came to me with the paper on Saturday morning and were astonished that you did, when they had heard my statement over the phone. I do not care to detail the many statements you make, but I will state that you were told twice in a very few minutes apart, very positively, that I was not to be quoted in your paper on the subject of the nurse or any other subject connected with it.

I could not have been plainer in that statement, and I consider that you have violated every breach of etiquette between gentlemen when you ignored my statement. You in this morning's paper make this uncalculated and courteous statement: "But he cannot employ this paper as an apologist for his blunders and the sooner he learns that the better." In reply I will say that when you can stick to the truth in a statement about me there will be no occasion for an apology from me to any one. When you say, "Mayor Riggins said everything attributed to him in the interview," you make a statement that is absolutely devoid of the truth, and I have abundant proof that you did make a false statement, in two people who heard every word I said over the phone and I will verify my statement, your statement to the contrary notwithstanding.

I have extended many favors and courtesies to the Waco Morning News, both as mayor as well as in a business way, and this is the fourth time that you have treated me in a discourteous and uncalled for manner, and I am getting tired and very sore, and I want to say to you plainly that such statements as you make are unauthorized and very offensive to me, and further, if you doubt the statement I make above, I will furnish the proof in such strong language that I think will impress you and meet you in the proper conclusion.

J. W. RIGGINS.

**Statement From the News.**  
(The public is acquainted with the Morning News and with the mayor. We leave the public to say which one has told the truth. We have never closed the columns of the Morning News to any one who felt that he had a "kick coming," and it is only in pursuance of this policy that we are publishing the foregoing communication from the mayor. We made our statement yesterday, to give the mayor the opportunity to make his statement. With this the incident is closed.—Editor.)

Did it ever occur to you that all a horse gets in life is what he eats? Feed him Golden-Rod, for sale by all dealers. Cornforth Grain company, Distributors.—(Adv.)

## Real Spring Weather Has Come to Waco

Flocks of geese could be heard honking their way north over the city Saturday night, as if proclaiming the glad news that summer was here at last. And yesterday was the balmiest and most pleasant day that has come to Waco yet this year.

There was just enough of a breeze to keep the air in circulation, the sun shone with a mild warmth and the paved streets were crowded with bugles and autos, carrying happy loads of pleasure-seekers to the country.

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